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METHOD FOR IMPROVING A

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PROVIDE PLAYERS A RECRUITING INCENTIVE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 16, 2007, to which a response is due October 16, 2007, with the petition for a three-month extension-of-time submitted herewith, entry of the accompanying Request for Continued Examination and the following Preliminary Amendment is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.